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In re Application of
Paul Hickman
Application No. 10/773,617
Filed: February 6, 2004
Attorney Docket No. 59174-8001.US05
Title of Invention: METHOD AND
APPARATUS FOR REMOTE
INTERACTIVE EXERCISE AND
HEALTH EQUIPMENT

DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b) filed January 3, 2006 to revive the above-identified application.

This above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a response to a non-final Office Action which was mailed on January 24, 2005. The non-final Office Action set a three (3) month shortened statutory period for reply. No extensions of time were obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a). Accordingly, this application became abandoned on April 25, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on August 8, 2005.

The requirements for a grantable petition under 37 CFR §1.137(b) have been met. This petition is hereby **Granted**.

This application is being forwarded to Technology Center 3700 for further processing of the amendment submitted with the instant petition.

The address provided on the petition differs from the correspondence address of

record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to the address given on the petition. However, the Office will mail all future correspondence solely to the address of record.

Telephone inquiries concerning this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3215.

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